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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

**APPEAL BRIEF**

Applicant : Dohn J. Trempala  
 App. No : 10/789,630  
 Filed : February 27, 2004  
 For : LOCKING CAP SYSTEM  
 Examiner : Suzanne Lale Dino Barrett  
 Art Unit : 3676

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**Mail Stop Appeal Brief - Patents**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

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(X) Appeal Brief in one hundred three (103) pages.

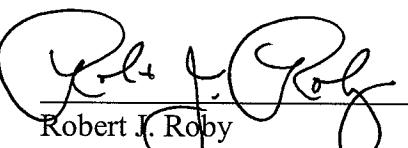
**FILING FEES:**

The present application qualifies for Small Entity Status under 37 CFR 1.27.

FEE CALCULATION				
FEE TYPE		FEE CODE	CALCULATION	TOTAL
Appeal Brief	41.20(b)(2)	2402 (\$250)		Previously Paid
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Dated: May 21, 2007

  
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